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L. S. & (1930) Department.

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G.O. No. 1956 & 4

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Vital Statistics - Hospet Municipality - Appointment of Birth and Death Registrar - Papers recorded.

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Local and Municipal **DEPARTMENT.**

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Subject.

Births and Deaths Registrars. - Qualifications - Soliciting instructions.

ENCLOSURES.
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Ref C.R. No. 415/29.

Station Hospet. *Dated the* 30th January 1930. 192

From (Name) M.R.Ry Tharihalli Hulugappa Garu,

(Designation) Vice Chairman, Municipal Council, Hospet.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Local Self Government Department.

Sir,

In obedience to G.O. No. 58.P.H. Ms. dated 9-1-30, declining to sanction the request of the council to exempt the present unqualified Birth and Death Registrar from the qualifications prescribed, I have the honour to state that he will be transferred from that post to another post and a qualified man will be appointed shortly.

2/ In connection with the selection of men to the post of Birth and Death Registrar, I request the Government to kindly state whether any scale has been fixed for adoption by Councils throughout the Presidency to men with 2nd class Vaccinators and L.M.Ps.

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3 Further I request to enlighten me whether an L.M.P. if appointed as Births and Deaths Registrar can be allowed his private practice and can he be given any other work in the Municipality such as the Medical Inspection of boys in Municipal Schools and pay him remunerations for this portion of work if entrusted to an L.M.P. Births and Deaths Registrar.

(2) Can he be kept in charge of Vaccination Depots with orders to verify the vaccination cases and to supervise the work of the Vaccinators which is now being done by a Medical Officer in charge of Hospitals as per rules in Vaccination Code.

(3) Can such an L.M.P. appointed as Birth and Death Registrar be allowed to grant Medical certificates or wound certificates.

4 I beg to request the Government once again to pass early orders on all the points raised so that there may not be any doubt as to the duties of L.M.P. if appointed as Births and Deaths Registrar.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Vice Chairman, M.C.

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Conf. 7677.

Regn of B & D.

appt of L.M.Ps as registrars in Municipalities.

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O.M. 7677-1 PH dt 27/3/30

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Councils which are not

in a position to employ health officers, it would result in overlapping of duties in those municipalities where there are already health officers!

The DPH is requested to consider the proposal and to specify the duties that may be assigned to L.M.P Registrars in the case of municipalities (1) where there are no H.O's and (2) where there are H.O's.

Engr. 25.3.30
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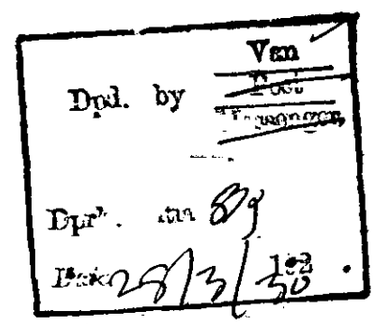
To

The DPH (Actg).



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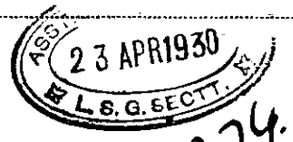

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R. No. 225-2/Sany.

Station Madras , *Dated the* 15th April 1930 .

From (Name) Captain N.R. Ubhaya, D.P. H.,
(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Health, Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Local Self Government (Public Health) Department.

Sir,

kp 3-4 ante.

With reference to Government memorandum No. 7677-1P.H. D-3 dated 27-3-30, I have the honour to state that, irrespective of the fact whether a Health Officer is employed in a Municipality or otherwise, when an L.M.P. is appointed as Birth and Death Registrar, he may be entrusted with vaccination work also as the two duties can be managed without prejudice to each other; also a qualified medical man is preferable to a layman as vaccinator. In case a medical Registrar-Vaccinator is appointed, the vaccinator already in service may be entrusted with outdoor work -/detection of ~~unqualified~~ unregistered Birth and Deaths, un-protected cases etc., If the Registrar-Vaccinator has sufficient time at his disposal which he is likely to have under this arrangement, he may

may undertake medical inspection of school pupils: his services will also be useful during times of epidemics. In so far as the reference from Hospet municipal council on which the present correspondence has originated, I am afraid that the proposal to have an L.M.P. Registrar of Birth and Death is one designed to circumvent the suggestion that has been made by this office - vide letter R.No. 1261-2/E dated 13-9-29 and 338-2/E dated 25-1-30-to appoint a Health Officer for the Municipality. I have to point out that, for the average expenditure which the Council should have to incur on the appointment of a competent man for the appointment, they could have the services of a II Class Health Officer and an S.S.L.C. man possessing the qualification prescribed for Birth and Death Registrars.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
your most obedient servant,

Captain D.P.H.,
Ag. Director of Public Health, Madras.

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Subject: Registration of Births and Deaths - Municipality - appointment of an M.P. as Registrar.

Memo 15214 of 1930

The Govt observe, from the letter from the Chief Hospl read above that the Council proposes to appoint a person with the qualification as Registrar of Births and Deaths in the municipality.

Before the points raised in the Chairman's letter are considered by the Govt desire to point out that, for the average expenditure which the Council will have to incur on the appointment of an M.P. as Registrar of Birth

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said Deaths, it could have Main
the Services of a Trained Health
Officer (II no Class) and an S.S.H.C. man
possessing the Qualifications
prescribed for a Birth + Death
Registrar. ~~Required.~~
It is also desirable that in the
interests of the future health
of the town, the Sanitary administration
of the Municipality should
be placed in the Hands of
a Health Officer. The Contribution
which the Council has
to pay for the employment
of a 2nd Class Health Officer
is only Rs. 600 per annum.
which together with the average
cost of a qualified Birth and
Death Registrar will be
about the same as or even less
than the cost of an L.M.P.
Board D. Registrar. The Council
is therefore requested to reconsider
its decision not to employ
a Health Officer for the
Municipality, and

~~2. The Chairman is requested~~
~~to send the reply to the Memo before 10th June 1930.~~

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Birth and Death Registrar- Employment of ----------

ENCLOSURES.
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C. No. 415/29.

Station Hospet, *Dated the* 25-6-1930. 19 .

From (Name) Dr. R. Nagan Gouda M.Sc. Ph.D.

(Designation) Chairman Municipal Council,
Hospet.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Local Self Government Department.

Sir,

In a separate file sent to O.W.K.

pp-7-8 auk

In reply to Government memorandum No. 15274-I-E-I-P.H dated 12-5-30 I have the honour to state that there is no scope for placing any sort of additional burden on the slender resources of the municipality. I have therefore with the means available at this time of financial strigency posted one of the sanitary Inspector of the municipality to take care of the work of the Registrar of Births and Deaths in addition to the antimalaria work he is entrusted with. Later when we are financially a bit better off then we are ~~Not~~ we will make different arrangements. I therefore request the Government to drop the question for the present.

I have the honour to be,
sir,
Your most obedient servant,

~~Vice~~ Chairman, M.C. 7/6.

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V.M. 25-6-30.

Vice Chairman, M.C. 7/6.

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Conv. Ser 35. forms Ser Vice, Gen & Hospch. CR 115-F25
dt 30/1/30.

Birth & Death Registrars — appointment of HMPs — Instructions Solicited

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The appointment of HMPs as Registrars of B & D does not appear to have been contemplated by the DPH when he submitted proposals re. the qualifications which he considered should be prescribed for them. The scale of pay which he suggested for these registrars was only Rs 35- for the first year of probation and Rs 40-1-60 on confirmation. Both the pay was ultimately fixed by the Govt. as they have no power to do so, local bodies themselves being competent to fix the salaries of their own establishments.

2. The points now raised by the Comr being new, the file may be sent to the DPH Madras for his remarks on them

D.P.H.

Ref. 225 Secy 20.2.30.

Legislative Ser 35-1 PH Dt 18/2/30

Through the Minister for Law (G.O. 3331 P 2/30)

Law 14.2.30 — Sec 14.2.30

Office of the Director of Public Health,
R.No.225-1/Sany.Madras, 21st February 1930.

Retransmitted.

2. L.M.Ps may be appointed as Birth and Death Registrars in municipalities; no special training is required for them. 7677

3. They should not be allowed private practice.

4. They can be entrusted with other duties in the municipality such as medical inspection of pupils, provided other arrangements are made for outdoor vital statistics work; but no separate remuneration should be paid for the extra work, as he should be a full time servant of the municipal council.

5. There is no objection to his being placed in charge of the vaccination in the municipality.

6. He should not be allowed to issue medical or wound certificates.

7. The scale of pay for an L.M.P. Birth and Death registrar or 2nd class vaccinator appointed as Birth and Death Registrar may be fixed by the Municipal Council themselves. The following scale may be recommended for adoption.

L.M.Ps.	...	Rs.80---150.
2nd class Vaccinators.		Rs35----50.

Capt.,D.P.H.,
Ag. Director of Public Health,
Madras.

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Please see DCH's note on p. 2 ante. It seems desirable that such general orders are issued to all mul. clo. in the matter as it will avoid future similar references in future. Draft order submd..

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Le/I/30 Ge 5.3.30

Usually there is a Health officer in charge of the municipality. How far do the present proposals encroach on & adapt his duties? Is it desirable to have the L.M.P. Reg[r] work under the H.O.? If not, is it desirable to have an independent officer of this kind?

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All municipalities do not have H.O.s. At present, only 41 out of 84 municipalities have employed H.O.s — 22 first class and 19 second class H.O.s. The minimum qualifications prescribed for a 1st class H.O. is M.B. & B.S.c and for a 2nd class H.O. L.M.P. & has v.f. the Health Officer's Dip.

2. The duties of the Health officers

inclusive among others (1) Checking
the work of the vaccinators and seeing
~~that their equipments and instruments~~
to the maintenance of their equipments,
registers etc in proper condition
(2) Taking steps to ensure the accurate
registration of births and deaths
Data forming themselves by periodical
inspection that the staff employed
for the purpose is doing its work
properly. So, wif in a municipality
where there is already a H.O,
an L.M.P is appointed as registrar
of births and deaths and is also
entrusted with other duties then as
Supervision of vaccination work etc
then ~~appointed~~ his duties will
overlap the duties of H.O. Both
in this case (Hooghly rule). There is
no H.O. Probably Municipality
wants to appoint an L.M.P
as a birth & death registrar and then
~~also~~ to utilise his services for
other rural work such as medical
inspection of schools, vaccination etc

para 16 (14) Hills
and 43 of
PH. Code Part I
Administrative

3. If an L.M.P accepts the post
of registrar in a ~~place~~ municipality with a 2nd class H.O
he cannot help working under the H.O

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In the case of municipalities where the Chairman does not propose to appoint any H.O. or Chairman appoints to do so, preferably it may be advisable to appoint an L.M.P. normally as a B & D. Registrar (this with such cost of work as a H.O) and then make him attend to all other work connected with public health without giving him any additional remuneration. Perhaps the proposed general order may be communicated only to such mpl. chs. as are referred to above i.e. those which have not or will not appoint H.O.'s.

Ro
L.M.P Reg^r. 80-150
(Scale recommended by the DPH)
L.M.P.40 Ro 100-10-300

Dpe 8/3/30

Ge 8.3.30

We can at once rule out any idea of issuing such orders as the D.P.H proposes in municipalities where there is a health officer. Any such order would lead to constant friction.

In municipalities in which there is no H.O. they might be appointed, but as regards giving them extra duties, there are the following objections :—

Ro 44/26.

(1) There is an order that as far as possible Govt. surgeons & asst surgeons shd. be employed for medical inspection in schools

(2) The P.H. Code already provides for supervision

I find that this idea was enforced in G.O. 44 Edn dt. 9.1.26 & there is now no objection to the employment of private practitioners Ge 12/3.

Appointment by the Med. Off. of the stations where there is no H.O. It is better to leave things as they are. On the whole the remedy is for the Council to appoint a Health Officer & not to have a hybrid Regr of the kind proposed.

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The proposal of the municipal council to appoint an L.M.P. as Regr appears & does this seem to be worth considering. The salary for maternity by the D.P.H. may be accepted. There are a large number of municipalities existent H.O. as there are municipalities with H.O. The duties of the H.O. & Registrar may not be so defined as not to cause a conflict. In a big municipality everything cannot be attended to by the H.O. and therefore it is really good to have a medical man to assist, whose services at times of epidemics will be invaluable. The principal medical officer of the district cannot attend to the inspection of all the pupils in the schools and the L.M.P. may do a portion.

12.3.30

SECRETARY TO GOVT. 13 MAR 1930 L.S.G. DEPT.

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The Hooper-wic wish proposes to employ a Leics class H.O. and in its request the Govt. have also made provision for it in the Estimates for 1930-31. But latterly the Council has decided to employ the H.O, its reason being that it cannot afford to do so — vide his Kes file. Probably the Council has an idea of appointing an L.C.C. as Regr of B & D and asking him to do some of the important duties of the H.O. as this will not then have to incur so much exp^re. There is perhaps the reason why the Chairman has asked for information in regard to this letter of app^t.

Lewis's file no. 11

But the Council has not yet made any definite proposal to appoint an L.C.C. as Regr of B & D.

2. In cases where rel. cls. do not possess the means to employ H.O.s, they may perhaps be allowed to

adopt the less costly Course mentioned above. Such if it is considered desirable than that Course should be adopted even in those municipalities where there are already H.O.P, there is bound to be some overlapping of duties unless the P.H. Code. (Sec 60 to define clearly the duties of each) is amended. It is also doubtful whether the benefits expected of this Combination will be commensurate with the extra expenditure involved. For orders whether the remarks of the DSH may be invited as to the desirability of appointing an L.M.P as Regr of B.D and entrusting him with some of the duties of the H.O.S in places where there are already H.O.S.

Sec 19/3/30 — Sec 19.3.30

Ks. Draft 21/3.

Secretary 20/3 — Secretary 20/3

Please see the draft on below.

Ad. only instructed by D.S a revised draft is submitted

22.3.30

Sec. 20.3.30

pp 34 of [Memo no 7677-1P.H 33 of 27-3-30]
pp 5-6 of Cir. 15274 from the D.P.H R.No 228-2 Sanj of 15/4/30

The D.P.H states that irrespective of the fact whether a health officer is employed in a municipality or not an L.R.C.P Birth and death Registrar may be entrusted with vaccination work also as the two duties can be performed without prejudice to each other. In the case, the L.R.C.P Registrar is entrusted with the work of vaccination, the vaccinator already in service may be entrusted with the out door work such as the detection of unregistered deaths and births, unprotected cases etc. The D.P.H adds that an L.R.C.P Registrar may undertake medical inspection of school pupils and that his services will be useful during times of epidemics. The D.P.H does not apparently consider that in regard to the appointment of an L.R.C.P Birth and death Registrar, any distinction need be made between a municipality which employs a Health Officer and one which does not.

4. In the present case, however, the D.P.H states that for the average expenditure which the Council should have to incur on the appointment of a competent (L.R.C.P.) man as Registrar of Births & Deaths, they could have the services of a II nd Class Health Officer and

an S.S.L.C. man possessing the qualifications prescribed for Birth and Death Registrars. The ~~[illegible]~~ is. The average cost of ~~[illegible]~~ an L.M.P. Birth and Death Regt.r ~~[illegible]~~ (~~[illegible]~~). will be about Rs 120 (Rs 80-150). per ~~[illegible]~~ annum. The contribution which the Council has to pay to a 2nd class Health officer is Rs 62½ p.m.. The cost of an S.S.L.C. Registrar ~~may be about~~ perhaps be taken as Rs 50 p.m. If the Council employs an L.M.P. Registrar ~~as a Vaccinator~~, the cost will be about Rs 120 p.m. against a cost of about Rs 112 p.m. if it employs ~~a H.O and~~ a 2nd class H.O and an S.S.L.C. Registrar instead. The D.P.H seems to recommend that the Council may be advised to employ a second class H.O. and an S.S.L.C. Registrar instead of an L.M.P. Registrar and no Health officer. It is however stated that the provision made in the budget for the employment of a 2nd class H.O in the Hospet Municipality has been utilized for the employment of a 2nd Class H.O. in the Chimlepet Municipality. It is therefore for orders whether the draft already sent up may be approved. or whether in view of ~~[illegible]~~ 15/30. what the D.P.H says, the Council should again be advised

This may be done.

to go on for a Health officer as that arrangement may not be so Costly as the one suggested by it.

15274 S/S

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A draft memo is subd for approval

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[Memo No. 15274-IE/PH 9 15.5.30].

Cwo 23076 from the Chief Hospel C/no 415/29 9 25.6.30.

In view of the CMC's letter read above, the papers may be recorded.

A draft order is subd for approval

21.7.30.

The question of the appointment of a Health Officer is separately under Consideration

28.7.30.

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SECRETARY TO GOVT. 4 AUG 1930 L.S.G. DEPT.

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Vital Statistics - Hospet Municipal

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READ AGAIN G.O. No. ....., dated ..... 19 .

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READ ALSO :—

C. No. 4935 From the CRE Hospet CR No. 415, dated 30-1- 1930.

" " ——— " " D.P.H. R. 225-2 " 15/4 1930.

" " ——— " " CRE C " 1415 " 25/6/ 1930.

ORDER. No. 1956 PH, dated 11-8 1930.

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To

The CRE Hospet.

" D.P.H (with a copy of CRE's letter in P. 9cf)

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